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AN ORDINANCE relating to Closing Out Sales; amending Resolution 30983, Section 4 and K.C.C. 6.16.110, and Resolution 30983, Section 5 and K.C.C. 6.16.120.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Resolution 30983, Section 4 and K.C.C. 6.16.110 are amended to read as follows:

Application for license. No license to conduct a sale, as defined herein, shall be granted except upon written application to the King County license department which shall be signed and sworn to by the person who intends to conduct such sale or his duly authorized agent. Such application shall contain the following information:

- The true name, home address and business address of the owner of the goods to be the object of the sale and the true name, home address and business address of the person who shall conduct the sale if not the owner of the goods.
- Whether the proposed sale is to be held at the applicant's or owner's existing, regularly established place of business.
- Description, by street address or location, and kind (c) of building where such sale is to be held.
- The nature of the occupancy, whether by ownership, (d) lease or sublease; and if by lease or sublease, the effective date of the termination of same.
  - The dates when such sale is to be conducted.
- (f) A copy of all advertisements or a statement of all advertising themes to be used in connection with such sale and a statement of the means or methods of advertising to be used in advertising such sale.

- (g) A full and complete statement of the facts in regard to the sale, including the reason for the urgent and expeditious disposal of goods thereby and the manner in which the sale will be conducted.
- (h) A complete and detailed inventory setting forth the amount and description of goods to be sold at such sale, and the date of acquisition of such goods and the name and address of the person from whom obtained and the place from which such goods were last taken. Said inventory shall be attached to and become part of the required application. The King County license department may require in addition that all goods listed upon the inventory be so described in detail by manufacturer's name and lot number, the individual number of articles so numbered, colors, sizes and otherwise that the identity of such goods with the goods listed on such inventory can be readily determined. In addition, the King County license department may require a listing of each article to be sold together with an inventory number for each article.
- (i) A showing that the applicant has made a return to the King County Assessor of the property in his possession or ownership and the value thereof for tax assessment purposes, and that the applicant has paid any tax due.
- $((\{i\}))$  (j) Such other information as the King County license director may require.

SECTION 2. Resolution 30983, Section 5 and K.C.C. 6.16.120 are amended to read as follows:

Issuance. Upon filing of the application the King County license director may make or cause to be made an examination, audit or investigation of the applicant and his affairs in rel-

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1 ation to the proposed sale. If the King County license director 2 finds that the statements in the application are true, that the 3 inventory is complete, that the advertising or advertising theme set forth is not false, fraudulent, deceptive or misleading in any respect, and that the methods to be used by the applicant in 6 conducting the sale are not such as, in the opinion of the King County license director, will work a fraud upon the purchasers, 8 the King County license director shall issue a license to conduct such sale in accordance with the provisions of this chapter; 10 provided, the King County license director may refuse to issue a 11 license because of the insufficiency of the information set forth 12 in the application, but in such event the applicant shall be per-13 mitted to file an amended application((-)) : further provided, 14 that, no license shall be issued until the applicant shows that 15 he has made a return to the King County Assessor of the property 16 in his possession or ownership and the value thereof for tax 17 assessment purposes and has paid any tax due. 18 INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 26 th day of 19 march , 19*73* . 20 PASSED this 97h day of April 21 KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON 22 23 1.0/2 ren 24 25 ATTEST: 26 27 28 King County Council 29 APPROVED this // day of // Open. 30 31 32 33 King County Executive